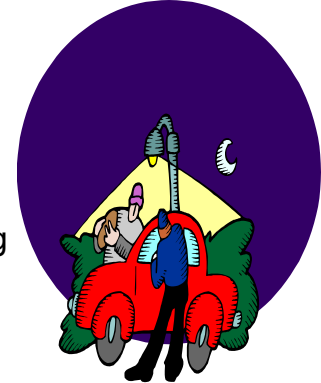




# Vehicle Crime Prevention Tips



- Never leave a car door unlocked or a window or sun-roof open, even when leaving your vehicle unattended for a few minutes.
- Never leave your Military ID or any other ID in your car.
- Put your radio antenna down to avoid it being vandalized.
- Never leave any belongings in your car. A thief will not know if that bag, box, or coat does not contain something valuable and might break a window to get it. If you can not take it with you, lock it in the trunk of your car where it is out of sight.
- Engrave your car stereo with an identifiable number and if it is removable, take it with you. Write down the serial number or engraved number and keep it in a safe place.
- Do not leave credit cards or check books in the glove compartment. One in five stolen credit cards and check books are taken from cars.
- Remove the ignition key and engage the steering lock – even when parking in your driveway or garage – and do not forget to lock the garage door.
- When you do not have a garage, always try to park in well lit areas.
- If you have a car alarm system, Use it.
- If you would like more Crime Prevention tips, then do hesitate to contact the USAG - Benelux SNAP Coordinator at 0032(0)68-27-6143 or send an email to

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